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SUBJECT: PORTUGUESE TIMOR - NEW WORKING PAPERS FOR DRAFT

UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION

REF: (A) USUN 6915; (B) USUN 6928

1. ON LATE AFTERNOON DECEMBER 19, TWO NEW WORKING PAPERS FOR DRAFT UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION WERE CIRCULATED. ONE DRAWN UP BY THE NONALIGNED (TANZANIA, IRAQ, MAURITANIA, GUYANA, AND CAMEROON); THE OTHER, BY WESTERN COUNTRIES (UK, ITALY, FRANCE, SWEDEN AND JAPAN). THEIR TEXT FOLLOW:

QUOTE NON-ALIGNED WORKING PAPER REV.1

THE SECURITY COUNCIL,

HAVING NOTED THE CONTENTS OF THE LETTER OF THE PERMANENT

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REPRESENTATIVE OF PORTUGAL (S/11899),

HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENTS OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF PORTUGAL AND INDONESIA,
HAVING HEARD REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR,
RECOGNIZING THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES, CONTAINED IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514 (XV) OF 14 DECEMBER 1960,
NOTING THAT GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3485 (XXX) OF 12 DECEMBER 1975, INTER ALIA, REQUESTED THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE SITUATION WITH REGARD TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES TO SEND A FACT-FINDING MISSION TO EAST TIMOR,
GRAVELY CONCERNED AT THE DETERIORATION OF THE SITUATION IN EAST TIMOR,
GRAVELY CONCERNED ALSO AT THE LOSS OF LIFE AND CONSCIOUS OF THE URGENT NEED TO AVOID FURTHER BLOODSHED IN EAST TIMOR,
1. CALLS UPON ALL STATES TO RESPECT THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF EAST TIMOR AS WELL AS THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF ITS PEOPLE TO SELF-DETERMINATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514 (XV);
2. DEPLORES THE INTERVENTION BY THE ARMED FORCES OF INDONESIA IN EAST TIMOR AND THE FAILURE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTUGAL TO DISCHARGE FULLY ITS RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER CHAPTER XI OF THE CHARTER AS ADMINISTERING POWER IN THE TERRITORY;
3. CALLS UPON THE GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA TO WITHDRAW WITHOUT DELAY ALL ITS FORCES FROM THE TERRITORY;
4. CALLS UPON THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTUGAL TO TAKE THE NECESSARY MEASURES, IN FULL CO-OPERATION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS, TO ENABLE THE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR TO EXERCISE FREELY THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION;
5. URGES ALL STATES AND OTHER PARTIES CONCERNED TO CO-OPERATE FULLY WITH THE EFFORTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO ACHIEVE A PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO THE EXISTING SITUATION AND TO FACILITATE THE DECOLONIZATION OF THE TERRITORY;
6. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL AS A FIRST STEP TO SEND URGENTLY A REPRESENTATIVE TO EAST TIMOR FOR THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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SOLE PURPOSE OF MAKING AN ON-THE-SPOT ASSESSMENT OF THE EXISTING SITUATION, IN CONSULTATION WITH ALL THE PARTIES CONCERNED, IN ORDER TO ENSURE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRESENT RESOLUTION;
7. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ALSO TO FOLLOW THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRESENT RESOLUTION AND TO REPORT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE;
8. DECIDES TO REMAIN SEIZED OF THE SITUATION. UNQUOTE

QUOTE WESTERN WORKING PAPER

THE SECURITY COUNCIL,
HAVING NOTED THE CONTENTS OF THE LETTER OF THE PERMANENT
REPRESENTATIVE OF PORTUGAL (S/11899),
HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENTS OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF
PORTUGAL AND INDONESIA,
HAVING HEARD REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR,
RECOGNIZING THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE OF EAST
TIMOR TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH
THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE
DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES
AND PEOPLES, CONTAINED IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514 (XV)
OF 14 DECEMBER 1960,
NOTING THAT GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3485 (XXX) OF
12 DECEMBER 1975, INTER ALIA, REQUESTED THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON
THE SITUATION WITH REGARD TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION
ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES
TO SEND A FACT-FINDING MISSION TO EAST TIMOR,
GRAVELY CONCERNED AT THE DETERIORATION OF THE SITUATION
IN EAST TIMOR,
GRAVELY CONCERNED ALSO AT THE LOSS OF LIFE AND CONSCIOUS OF
THE URGENT NEED TO AVOID FURTHER BLOODSHED IN EAST TIMOR,
BEARING IN MIND THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ADMINISTERING
POWER TO UNDERTAKE ALL EFFORTS TO CREATE CONDITIONS ENABLING
THE PEOPLE OF PORTUGUESE TIMOR TO EXERCISE FREELY THEIR RIGHT TO
SELF-DETERMINATION,
1. CALLS UPON ALL STATES TO RESPECT THE TERRITORIAL
INTEGRITY OF EAST TIMOR AS WELL AS THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF
ITS PEOPLE TO SELF-DETERMINATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514 (XV);
2. REGRETS THE CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH LED TO THE PRESENT
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SITUATION IN EAST TIMOR AND THE ACTION WHICH HAS TAKEN PLACE
IN THAT SITUATION;
3. CALLS UPON THE GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA TO WITHDRAW
WITHOUT DELAY ALL ITS FORCES FROM THE TERRITORY;
4. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO SEND A SPECIAL
REPRESENTATIVE TO EAST TIMOR AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, WHO SHALL
ESTABLISH CONTACT WITH ALL THE PARTIES IN THE TERRITORY AND
ALL STATES CONCERNED, AND TO SUBMIT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL HIS
RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING WAYS AND MEANS TO RESTORE PEACE AND
ORDER IN THE TERRITORY AND TO CREATE CONDITIONS WHICH WILL
ENABLE THE PEOPLE OF THE TERRITORY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS, TO EXERCISE FREELY
THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION;
5. URGES ALL THE PARTIES IN THE TERRITORY AND ALL STATES
CONCERNED TO CO-OPERATE FULLY WITH THE EFFORTS OF THE SECRETARY-

GENERAL IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE A PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO THE EXISTING
SITUATION AND TO FACILITATE THE DECOLONIZATION OF THE TERRITORY;
6. DECIDES TO REMAIN SEISED OF THE QUESTION. UNQUOTE
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